Howard County Police Department Office of Public Affairs Daily Crime Bulletin Monday, October 23, 2017

Assault

Columbia, 21044: 5000 block of Campus Drive, Oct. 20 3:45 p.m.

An adult male victim reported that an acquaintance asked for a ride. When the victim declined, a second acquaintance displayed a knife and assaulted the victim. No serious injuries were reported. The investigation is ongoing.

Commercial burglary

Elkridge, 21075: Elkridge Branch Library, 6500 block of Washington Boulevard, Oct. 19-20 Unknown suspect(s) gained entry to the library under construction and stole construction tools. Suspect(s) also gained entry to a container in the parking lot of the library by cutting the lock and stole power tools.

Residential burglary

Columbia, 21045: 7000 block of Cradlerock Way, Oct. 20 4:00-5:00 p.m.

Unknown suspect(s) gained entry to the residence through an unlocked front door and stole cash.

Ellicott City, 21042: 3300 block of Coventry Court Drive, Oct. 19-20

Unknown suspect(s) gained entry to a residence in the process of being sold and stole copper wire. No forced entry was observed.

Columbia, 21045: 5700 block of Stevens Forest Road, Oct. 22 6:00-9:06 p.m.

Unknown suspect(s) attempted to gain entry to the residence by breaking a lock. No entry was gained.

Theft from vehicle

Oct. 20

Columbia, 21044: 10000 block of Town Center Avenue, Oct. 20 3:58 p.m., multiple vehicles, unclear if anything was stolen

Oct. 21

Columbia, 21044: 10800 block of Beech Creek Drive, Oct. 21 4:10 p.m., sunglasses, phone charger

Columbia, 21046: 8900 block of Early April Way, Oct. 21 7:56 p.m., tag **Jessup, 20794:** 8200 block of Preston Court, Oct. 21 8:43 p.m., duffle bag

Oct. 22

Elkridge, 21075: 8000 block of Keeton Road, Oct. 22 12:33 a.m., tag

Columbia, 21045: 6200 block of Tamar Drive, Oct. 22 2:36 a.m., unclear if anything was stolen

6400 block of Tree Top Circle, Oct. 22 9:01 a.m., camera bag 9600 block of White Acre Road, Oct. 22 3:13 p.m., cash

Vehicle theft

Columbia, 21044: 5000 block of Hayload Court, Oct. 22 5:19 p.m.

2010 Nissan Maxima

Opioid overdoses

Beginning today, Howard County police will be posting information about police responses to opioid overdose cases. Between Oct. 20-22, there were three opioid overdose cases in Howard County, one fatal and two non-fatal.

In 2016, police responded to 133 non-fatal opioid overdoses and 29 opioid overdose deaths. So far in 2017, there have been 138 non-fatal opioid overdoses and 43 opioid overdose deaths.* In non-fatal overdoses in 2017, naloxone, also known as Narcan, was administered in 93 percent of the cases.

If you or someone you know in Howard County needs help with an opioid issue, call 800-422-0009. #HoCoHelp

*A small number of these cases are classified as "suspected" opioid overdoses, until confirmed lab reports and medical examiner reports are completed. Numbers may fluctuate.

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